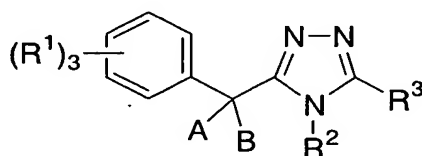


## TITLE OF THE INVENTION

11-BETA-HYDROXYSTEROID DEHYDROGENASE 1 INHIBITORS USEFUL  
FOR THE TREATMENT OF DIABETES, OBESITY AND DYSLIPIDEMIA

## 5 ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Compounds having Formula I, including pharmaceutically acceptable salts, hydrates and solvates thereof:



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- 10 are selective inhibitors of the 11 $\beta$ -HSD1 enzyme. The compounds are useful for the treatment of diabetes, such as noninsulin-dependent diabetes (NIDDM), hyperglycemia, obesity, insulin resistance, dyslipidemia, hyperlipidemia, hypertension, Syndrome X, and other symptoms associated with NIDDM.

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